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# MITCHELL CALLS A CONVEN

National Gathering of United Mine upon the average membership to local union for the last three means upon which payment has been made, previous Workers to Take Place at Indianapolis, July 17.

### A GENERAL STRIKE WILL BE CONSIDERED

The National Convention of Mine Workers Will Be Held for the Purpose of Considering a Proposition to Entirely Suspend Mining Operations in Every Branch of the Industry in the United States. Directly from Local Unions.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Wilkes-Barre, June 18 .- President Mitchell this morning made an official announcement calling a national convention of hard and soft coal miners to be held in Indianapolis on July 17 President Mitchell said:

A national convention of the miners of the country wil be held at Indianapolis to consider the advisability of inaugurating a national suspension of work. The call is made upon the acquiescence of five districts of United Mine Workers of America, that number being necessary to

issue such a call. This makes it obligatory for the presi dent of the United Mine Workers to call the convention. The five districts are Nos. 1, 7, 9, 17 and 24. The date will be decided by the national secretary of the United Mine Workers, W. B. Wilson.

#### THE OFFICIAL CALL.

#### Full Text of the Circular Issued by Secretary Treasuer Wilson.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Indianapolis, Ind., June 18 .- An official call for a national convention of the United Mine Workers of America was issued this afternoon from the national headquariers in this city by Sceretary-Treasurer Wilson. The convention will meet here July 17 to determine whether the soft coal miners of the country shall go out on a strike to assist the striking anthracite strikers of Fennsylvania.

gates to the convention is 1 for every 100 members of each local union or fraction over fifty. This will make a convention of 1,000 delegates. The voting strength of all locals is between 9 300 and 2 400 Of this number the convention will have a voting strength of from 1,700 to 1,800. A bare majority can order a strike. A few more than \$00 can declare a strike. The anthracits regions cast 747 votes, Virginia and Michigan, which joined in the call for the convention have 52, making 799 votes from these five districts, which unite to call the convention. As stated at headquarters conditions are not satisfactory to miners in Missouri Kansas, Arkansas and Indian territors and it is believed the delegates from these sections will vote for a strike.

#### The Call for Convention. The call for the convention is as fol-

Indianapolis, Ind., June 18, 1902. To the local unions of the United Minc Workers of America.

Greeting: Section 1, of article V, of the national constitution: "Special conventions shall be called by the president when so ordered by the executive board or at the request of five districts." Districts Nos. 1, 7, 9, 17 and 24 have requested the national president to call a special convention and you are hereby

notified that a special convention of th Mines Workers of America wil be held in Indianapolis, Ind., commencing at 10 a. m., Thursday, July 17, 1902, for th purpose of considering a proposition for a general suspension of work by the coa' United States, in support of the anthracite mine workers who are now The fololwing sections of article V in

the constitution are quoted for the guid local unions in selecting their

Section 2-Representatives of the na tional convention shall be elected directly vote for 100 members or less, and an addi-tional vote for each one hundred members or majority fraction thereof, but no representative shall have more han five votes and no person shall be eligible as representative who is not a mine worker or employed by the organization and is a bona fide member of a local union in the district where said delegate resides. Note: 'The term 'mine includes any one working in or around the mines and a member of a lo-

Section 3-No local union shall be en filled representatives to the national convention that is in arrears for dues or assessments for two months preceding the one in which the national convention is held or has not complied with the con stitution, or which has less than ten members, and any mine within the jurisdiction for a period of three months and allowing itself to become lapzed, defunct or refusing to pay dues or assessments the organization, shall pay a sun al to three months dues and assess ments on all members to the national and district unions, before it can be re stated or reorganized, and must be good standing for fouth months previous to the month in which the national con-vention is held, before said local union shall be entitled to representation in the national convention before local unions shall be entitled to representation

Section 5-All newly organized locals nust be organized at least three months must be organized at least three months and have two months dues paid prior to the month in which the national convention is held, before they will be entitled to representation, unless such new locals are composed of members from old locals in good standing at the time of organization. The fast that a new local is composed of members of an old local must be attested by the district secretary.

Section 6.—Representation shall be based

to the month in which the national convention is held.

Section 7—Any member of the United Mine Workers of America accepting a position other than that of a miner or mine workers shall not be eligible to act as representative to any sub-district, district or national, while holding such tion, but accepting a position with the United Mine Workers shall not be construed as making a member incligible to act as representative.

Section 9—Delegates to the national cor

is: Delegates shall represent five locals. if said locals contain not more than 500 members. When there are five hundred members in a local or less in number than five locals, such local or locals shall be entitled to send a delegate, and any local union situated one or more miles from any other local union shall be entitled to send a representative, and should Representatives to the National
Convention Are to Be Elected
Directly from Local Unions.

Ittled to send a representative, and should there be more than five votes in any one local or group of locals, they also shall be entitled to a representative for the additional members, as provided for in this constitution. The executive board shall have power to levy on the members to carry out the above provisions, provided

said levy be necessary.

Section 10—Where rallroad certificates cannot be obtained by delegates attending the national convention, they shall furnish receipts for the fare paid, credentials must be sent to the na secretary-treasurer as soon as delegates

An effort will be made to get specia rates for transportation, and if we suc ceed, instructions to delegates concern ing the purchase of tickets will be pub lished in the United Mine Workers' Jour nal, together with rates obtained at var-ious hotels and the name of the hall in which the meeting will be held. John Mitchell, National President.

W. B. Wilson, National Secretary-Treasurer,

#### TO RESTRICT SOFT COAL OUTPUT United Mine Workers of the Clearfield District Take Action.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Clearfield, Pa., June 18 .- The subdistrict presidents of District No. 2, United Mine Workers met today, and made no impression on the opposition issued an order directed to the local and the conference adjourned until Friunion checkweighmen and miners of day at the desire of the friends of Cunorthern and central Pennsylvania, ban reciprocity in order that they might which will reduce the output of bituminous coal in this region one-third. The order restricts the working days to tors will accept. It was the general four each week. All miners are re- opinion after the conference that this quested to suspend work on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week at all out Cuban reciprocity legislation of any operations where no coke ovens are kind.

The order will go into effect June

strict the output and thus, to some extent, prevent the operators filling orders for bituminous coal to be sent to points where anthracite coal was used prior, to the anthracite miners'

#### THE U. OF P. COMMENCEMENT. Large Number of Diplomas Given. The Honorary Degrees.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press Philadelphia, June 18.-The one hundred nd forty-sixth commencement of the and honorary degrees were conferred as

Doctor of Laws-Richard M. Jones, head ent of Columbia university Doctor of Letters-The Rev. Hugh T. Henry, rector of the Roman Catholic ligh school Philadelphia Doctor of Science-Dr. Willoughby Day

ton Miller, professor of dentistry in the Iniversity of Berlin. Doctor of Music-Prof. Edward Mac-Dowell, of Columbia university.

Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, New York, was the

#### orator of the day. SUICIDE OF WOBSHAW.

#### A Resident of Honesdale Shoots Himself with a Revolver. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Honesdale, June 18 .- A suicide occurred it the Wobshaw hotel, located mid-way petween Honesdale and White Mills, at 7 o. m. Tuesday, Moxley Wobshaw being the victim. About ten minutes before the shooting he was about his duties in the bar-room

and in conversation with members of the household, apparently as well as usual. He was left alone in the bar-room while the other members of the family were preparing for supper. Soon after the re-port of a revolver startled the occupants of the hotel. On investigation, young Wobshaw was found in his room, lying on his bed with a bullet hole in his temple. revolver was on the bed by his side, e was breathing his last when found. Dr. F. W. Powell, county coroner, visited the scene last night, but decided that an nquest was not necessary, as it was plain case of suicide

## Insane Man with Revolver.

ly Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, June 18 .- Cary J. McAlli er, of 45 Crawford street. Newark, N. J., called at the white house this afternoon and subsequently was arrested and held for examination into his mental condition. He was armed with a revolver which he said he wanted to use on a mes nerist, who, he said, was ready to kill nim. He is 26 years of age. He said his troubles followed his rejection by a Newark girl.

## Steamship Arrivals.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, June 18 .- Arrived: Oceanic Liverpool. Cleared: La Touraine, Havre Bremen, Southampton and Bremen.
Sailed: Philadelphia, Southampton;
Southwark, Antwerp, Sicily—Passed: St.
Louis, New York for Southampton.
Southampton—Salled: Kronprinz Wilhelm, New York.

## Jackson Gets Decision.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Kansas City, June 18.—"Young Peter Jackson" got the decision over "Boh" Long in the sixteenth round of a sched-uled twenty-round bout tonight. The ref-

#### REBELS VICTORIOUS.

#### Venezuelan Revolutionists Capture La Vela de Coro.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, June 13. -News reached here today of an impor-tant success of the Venezuelan revolutionists. After five hours' fighting, Wed-nesday, June 11, one thousand revolu-tionists, commanded by Generals Riera, Penaloga and Sierralta, captured La Vela de Coro, a scaport town on the Gulf of Coro, a few miles from Coro, capital o the state of Falcon. Of the government forces 27 men were killed and 128 were captured.

Coro, where Vice President Ayala is in any moment.

After a revolt of the government troop

in the barracks at Cludad, Bolivar, sit-uated on the Orinoco river, capital of the state of Bolivar, Governor Sarria re-Section 9—Delegates to the national convention shall be paid railroad fare to and from the convention on the following bato make an attempt to reoccupy Cludad, Bolivar. The plan is here considered to be chimerical.

The French cruiser Suchet is at Carupanox. Venezuela: the British cruises is at Ciudad, Bolivar, and the Dutch cruiser Koningen Regentes has arrived at La Guaira.

#### **CANNOT AGREE ON CUBAN RECIPROCITY**

Conference of Republican Senators Adjourns Without Action-No Prospect of Agreement.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, June 18 .- The Republican senators held a conference tonight on the subject of Cuban reciprocity, and after a flood of short speeches, adjourned until next Friday without action of any sort. Seventeen senators, one after another, announced unalterable opposition to a reduction of the duty on Cuban sugars, and announcement was made that two others no resent stood with them.

Senators Platt, of Connecticut, and spooner, of Wisconsin, took the lead in ehalf of the proposed legislation and endeavored to convince the beet sugar senators that the measure they had framed jointly would not injure any American interest, but their speeches have a last opportunity to try to agree on a measure that the beet sugar sena session of congress would adjourn with-

## SCHEME TO SETTLE STRIKES.

#### Representative McDermott, of New Jersey, Prepares a Bill. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Washington, June 18.-Representative McDermott, of New Jersey, has introduced a bill for the appointment of federal boards of investigation and ar-The measore is said to be prompted by the conduct of the coal strike.

It empowers the president to appoint a board whenever he deems it expedient to investigate matters in dispute between employers and employees University of Pennsylvania was held in engaged in any business affecting interthe Academy of Music today. A large state commerce. The board is to connumber of students were given diplomas sist of seven members and it to render a comprehensive account of the matter at issue, wages and cost of living of Doctor of Laws—Richard M. Jones, head master of the Penn Charter school: David Jayne Hill, first assistant secretary of etc., of employers, with a recommendastate, and Nicholas Murray Butler, presition of the board of the course which should be pursued.

## RACES AT SYRACUSE.

#### Exciting Finishes Characterized the Central New York Circuit Events. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Syracuse, N. Y., June 18.-Eciting fin-ishes characterized the 2.16 class trotting event in today's Central New York cir cuit races, five heats being required to decide it. Favorites were defeated in both of the races completed. Results: 2.26 class, pacing—Call K, ch. (Tatum). won; Golden Rod, b. g., ( berry), second; Mary Showhan, ch. m (Kinney), third. Best time, 2.1814. 2.16 class, trotting-Lizzie Laning, br. (Boland), won; Judge at-Law, br. (Bestver), second; Kent McEwen, b. (Mills), third. Best time, 2.17%. Best time, 2.17%.

## MISSIONARY DROWNED.

#### Notice Is Received of the Death of Rev. H. C. Appenzeller.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Lancaster, June 18.—Through the Methodist missionary board of New York, Mrs. H. G. Appenzeller, of this city, was today notified of the death by drowning at Seoul, Korea, of her husband, Rev. H. G. Appenzeller, a well known Methodist mis-sionary. No particulars were given. Rev. Appenzeller was about 45 years old native of Berks county. his wife he is survived by four children, all living here. They expected to joi him in August.

## Clark Made Rear Admiral.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, June 18 .- The senate has an escutive session soon after meeting today and Senator Hale reported favorably the nomination of Captain Charles F. Clark, to be advanced seven numbers and made a rear admiral. He asked to have the nomination confirmed, but Sen-ator Warren objected and the nomination went over. Subsequently Senator War-ren withdrew his objection, moved an executive session and Captain Clark was

## DEATHS OF A DAY.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Richmond, Va., June 18.-Rt. Rev. Fran cis M. Whittle, bishop of the Episcopa diocese of Virginia, died at his home here this afternoon, aged 78 years.

Princeton, N. J., June 18.—John Deg-nan, Princeton's well known college po-liceman, died suddenly at his home here today, aged 89 years. He was the univergreat favorite among the students.

## **PATERSON IN** HANDS OF MOB

As Result of Riots Several Persons Are injured-Two Will Probablu Die.

### POLICE UNABLE TO CONTROL THE CROWD

Mills Wrecked by Stones and Bullets. Threat to Resort to the Torch-The Riots Seem to Be the Result of Effort to Involve the Would-Ya Peaceful Element-Women Frightened Into Hysterical State by the Howling Mob-A Reporter Injured.

Py Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Paterson, N. J., June 12.-This city

The police did their work well, but

they were so few in number that they could make little headway against the Mills were wrecked with stones and bullets by the striking silk dyers' helpers or roughs acting for them. There were threats to resort to the torch, but

so far the mayor hesitates about asking Governor Murphy for troops. There seems to be every indication peaceful element in the affair from the start. Among the leaders of the trouble was a man named McQueen and another named Galleano, the former an 24 years old, who lives and works in Others, agents of anarchists circles,

have also been quietly fanning the flames. morning Chairman McGrath, This since he first obtained control on the second day of the strike, was on hand worked his countrymen into a frenzy. thing in Italian. Instantly a mob had and during the

locked when the mob appeared but they were forced open and with the crash of the doors came a volley of stones which riddled the windows in the front of the

building. President Grossgebauer telephoned for the police. Stones rained into the office and flew about his head. Twenty young women on the first floor stood at bay and threatened to fight and the weavers on the second floor ran down to their aid. William Westerfield, the leader of the ribbon workers' strik eight years ago took command. He directed those in the place to leave and denounced the anarchists.

## Bresci's Old Comrade.

When the operatives were out of the Columbia the mob swept down Belmont avenue. Several members of the group of anarchists, Bresci's old comrades, with Galleano at their head. were in the lead. A half mile march brought the mob to the Cedar Cliff mill, where they stayed until all were out. Just beyond the Cedar Cliff is the Rynewarner mill. The doors were burst open there and the men and girls were found ready to go out and were waiting for orders from the New York office. When this was seen the rioters did nothing but wait until the mill was closed. The next place visited was a cotton braid factory. seemed to make no difference to the mob whether it was in any way connected with the silk trade or not. The women became hysterical as the howling rioters climbed in windows and and county responsible for all result-burst in the doors. Mr. Rhynhardt, ing damage. the owner, ordered his employees to

quit for the day.

The mob rushed through the cotton works and did much damage: then Two Men Are Found Guilty of Murnoured on down the street to Bamford Brothers' mill in Cliff street. Here Patrolmen Robinson, Sweetman, Keyes and Detective Magie had taken a stand The four faced the mob for five minutes, telling them that the employes had gone out by the rear door and the

works were closed down. Over the main door hung a sign reading: "Dyers Helpers Wanted. There was a rush and men leaped on the shoulders of others and tore it down. Some one threw a brick through a window and stones rained against the side of the mill and windows in a perfect shower. From the mill volleys were hurled at the officers and all four were struck several times.

A section of the mob made for the Bamford home close by. The police sought to head them off and did so, but a shot was fired and a bullet went through Robinson's right arm. staggered him and as he was regaining his feet a jagged rock hit him on the head laying open the scalp. Supported comrades Robinson was taken to the Bamford home. The remaining three drove back the mob from the nouse and the attack on the mill was renewed. The young women in mill tried to get out and were driven back but escaped by the rear.

## Patrol Wagons Arrive.

Martha Huyser was struck by a roc and one of her arms badly hurt. A re- \$10,000.

porter who was in the mill was hit on the head with a stone and his scalp laid open. The mob swarmed into the mill and saw that no one remained, but still those on the outside kept up the bombardment. The mill would have been wrecked inside as well as outside had not a patrol wagon loaded with officers charged through the mob on Cliff street. Rocks rained down or it and none of the officers escaped Patrolman Irving Post saw a man hurl a rock and fired, the bullet striking the rioter in the neck. Before the officers could get to the man he was hauled into the mob and hurried away. With revolvers drawn, the officers quickly deployed and the mob fell back. A block away, Galleano again appeared and led the mob through Temple street to Pelgram & Myers' mill, where the em-

ployes were compelled to come out. Flushed with success, the mob pushed adross the Main street bridge to the New Jersey Silk company's establishment, where the employes were driven out. At Levy's mill, at River and Bridge streets, the manager met the mob at the door and assured the leaders that the employes were preparing to leave.

When the mill was emptied, the strikers moved on. They passed through River street to the Laurel, the Empire and the Augusta mills, where only Patrolmen Fields and Titus were on duty and were powerless against the vas in the hands of a mob today and as mob. The managers of the three mills a result of the riots a number of per- had determined to empty their mills, ons were shot and two at least will and two of them did so, but the Augusto mill was still full, although shut down. The mob found this out, and burst in. They found themselves face to face with the women of the mill, led by Mrs. Parker, determined to stand their ground. The women were thrust aside and driven out of the mill, midst the most foul abuse.

#### A Plucky Policeman. The Hall mill, which shelters fou

ilk working firms, was the next point that the riot was the result of a pre-ar- of attack. A single policeman guarded ranged plan to involve the would-be the main entrance. He was ordered to stand aside and on refusing was attacked. He drew his revolver and began to fire. Lora Salvino, an Italian Englishman and the latter an Italian. Hackensack, received the first bullet, which penetrated both lungs. The mot drew back and the officer retained his post in the doorway. Several shots were fired at him but none took effect. who has held the strikers in leash He replied, firing directly into the crowd until his weapon was empty when five more uniformed men and one in plain and presided. He spoke, so did Mc- clothes came on a run through Fulton Queen and Galleano, and the latter street. The mob kept on firing and the officers charged, firing when the Then McQueen leaped into control of strikers broke and ran. Spectators say the meeting. He called for a vote on that fully one hundred shots were fired. the question of calling for a general Salvino was left behind and was taken strike of all branches of the silk trade. to the hospital. One hundred and fifty All voted in favor, and a committee was hats were picked up in the street afterappointed to consider means for bring- ward which were lost in the scramble ing the silk workers out. Galleano was to get away. No doubt that several of one of this committee. It gathered the rioters were hurt. It is about this amid a babel of tongues and a scene of time that Mayor Hinchcliffe called on confusion. Five minutes later Galleano | the firemen for aid and men were deemerged from the group shouting some- tailed from each company and armed formed about him. Down the street ficient service. The shooting seemed rushed the Italians and then the other to scatter the rioters but it was not foreigners and a moment later the mob long before a dense mob had formed led by Galleano swept down Belmont again, this time about the Gaede mill on north Straight street where there A quarter of a mile down Belmont was a crowd of 2,000. Half of them avenue stands the Columbia mill, a silk | were rioters and the rest onlookers. The bitration to deal with labor disputes, ribbon factory. The doors had been mill was bombarded and before the mob stopped there was not a whole window in the building.

#### Reporter Badly Injured. Harry Harris, a reporter on

Morning Call was at this point. He was armed with a revolver and had a camera with which he attempted to take pictures, standing on a stoop a short distance down the street. His act of training the camera was seen and he was warned to desist. moment later a rain of stones fell bout him and he was knocked down. As he fell men rushed on him and he was kicked and beaten. He drew his revolver and tried to use it, but it iammed and was kicked from his hand. A man grabbed it and fired at Harris, the bullet entering his chest. He has a slight chance of recovery. By this time the mill was emptied of the operatives and this practically ended the rioting for the day, after all of the mills had closed down. During the day from time to time the wounded have been carried to the hospitals. Besides those whose names can be given, it is certain that many more were hurt. This afternoon the anarchists, who seemed to be in command were openly threatening that a policeman's life would pay for each wounded rioter.

The police tonight are tired, sore and angry and they say that a resumption of the rioting in the morning will find them prepared to shoot to kill. The mill owners say they will resume work in the morning and will hold the city

## DOUBLE HANGING IN LUZERNE.

der in the First Degree. Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press

Wilkes-Barre, June 18 .- Luzerne county will in all probability have a double hanging in the near future. Late this after-noon the jury in the case of Peter Lenousky, charged with murder, returned a verdict in the first degree. Victor Zorambo, Lenousky's accomplice in the murder, was convicted of murder in the first degree some weeks ago. The two men entered into a conspiracy

to kill a fellow coutryman named An-thony Sennick, who was employed in a coal mine at Exeter. Sennick was be lieved to carry a large amount of money on his person and to secure the gold murder was resorted to. The victim was struck down in his chamber with an axe and his head and body terribly mangled. He died the next day in a hospital.

## Fire at Cumberland.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Cumberland, Md., June 18 .- Fire today demaged the Cumberland Brewing company's plant to the extent of \$100,000. is thought that 45,000 barrels of beer process of brewing and the finished prod-uct is lost. The fire originated from a

## Charter Issued.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Harrisburg, June 18 .- A charter was is today to the Catawissa Car and Foundry company, Catawissa; capital.

# CANAL BILL TO BE **VOTED ON TODAY**

#### HE FOUND THE DEFECT.

The Automobile Develops Decidedly Mulish Tendencies. Master Car Builder L. T. Canfield's

utomobile came back from the boule-

vard last night on one of George Brown's drays,
Mr. Canfield sent the machine to Florey & Brooks for an overhauling. THE HOUSE WARMED BY After it had been thoroughly overhauled it was sent out for a test, in harge of Ralph Harrison, one of the firms auto experts. He took along with

him two little girls, the child of one

of the firm's other employes and her

friends. In running about the city the expert found that the machine still had some defect, but every test he could give it on the city streets failed to aid him in ascertaining just what the defect was. Determined to solve the difficulty he started for the boulevard, relying on the steep grades, beyond the park, to bring to light the location of the de-

His reliance was not misplaced. As he machine was mounting the hill approaching the bridge across the Eric tracks, it stopped short gave a sudden eap backward and started down the hill, despite all the energy the expert could apply to the "go ahead" and whoa" levers.

Realizing that the machine was un swervingly bent on going backwards he steered it into the most inviting ditch to be found readily, and brought it to a stop. The little girls escaped injury but the chaffeur had his leg slightly bruised. A rear wheel of the auto was wrecked.

The accident, howsomever disclosed the defect. It had been supplied with mule instead of horse power.

## COMMENCEMENT AT **BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY**

Interesting Exercises-Degrees Conferred-The Graduates and Prize Winners.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Lewisburg, Pa., June 18.-The 52d closed today. The following honorary degrees were conferred:

Master of Arts-O. B. Dickinson, esq., Master of Arts O. B. Dickinson, ed., Chester; Rev. John W. Evans, Doctor of ially on the question of trusts and the Divinity; Rev. Herbert Fenton Stilwell, necessity for tariff reduction. Mr. St. Paul, Minn.; Rev. Bernard MacMakin, Shallberger (Democrat, Nebraska,) also Philadelphia; Rev. William Morris, made a political sapeech, condemning Wales, Doctor of Laws, Rev. A. J. Row land, D. D., Philadelphia.

These degrees were also conferred: Master of Arts on Examination-Laura Louise Allen, Osceola; Catherine Ruth Bower, Lewisburg; Charles Ernest Bun-legislation. nell, Kodiak, Alaska; Frank Eugene Bur-pee, New Orleans, La.; Creighton M. Konkle, New York city; Jacob Henry Sophronia Minnick, Orrstown; Grace Sophronia Wodard, Bradford. Master of Philosophy on Examination-Anna Curzon Judd, Lewisburg; Lewis Clark Walkinshaw, Greensburg. Master of Science on Examination—Eliza Johnston Martin, Lewisburg. Master of Arts in Course—Benja-

min Franklin Thomas, Factoryville.

The college class, numbering fortynine, is as follows: Bachelor of Arts-Edna Lorine Bacon Dividing Creek, N. J.; Orren Regnall Bar rett, Fisher's Ferry; Benjamin Franklin Rieber, Pottsgrove; John Davis, Nanticoke: Eli Peter Heckert, Pillow; Olin Stacy Voke Marts, Dividing Creek, N. J.; John William McCracken, Kerrmoor; Frances Anna Race, Scranton; Philip Rellly, Philadelphia; Charity Margaret Runyan, Lewisburg; Frank White Stan-ton, Scranton; Mary Anna Hursh, Unger, Danville, Lulu Welliver, Danville; Charles Arthur Woodard, Bradford; William David Zerby, Sober. Bachelor of Philosophy—Abner Detwiler Bentz, Bloomsburg; Charles Isalah Boyer, Mandata; Helen Witter Ruoy,

Milton: Edward Burrows, Keyport, N. J.; Joseph Sanford Davis, Othello, N. J.; Marti n Linnacus Drum, Philadelphia; Charles Edward Goodall, Camden, N. J.; Henry Thomas Harvey, jr., Lock Haven Henry Joseph Johnson, Sharon F. Thomas Phillips Kyle, Brooklyn, N. Sharon Hill; William Edgar Maneval, Liberty; seph Edward Millen, Stanton; William Sawyer Robinson, Mooresburg, Thomas Andrew Sherbondy, Bala; James Wilson Lewis Edwin Snyder, Fisher's Thiess, New Rochelle, N. Y. Bachelor of Science-George Thomas Cooper, Lewistown; Gertrude Jane Dep-

Mt. Carmel; William Leigh Durham, burg; Raymond Greene, Lewistown; Car-rie Jeannette Halfpenny, Milton; Sarah burg: Jeannette Bennett Shepard. New York city: Mary Edna Thatcher, Lewis-burg: Levi Joseph Ulmer, Hepburn; Yen-his evidence that convicted them. cer Weidensaul, Lewisburg; John Hol-man Weiser, Mahantongo; John E. Will-lams, Freeland; Thomas Lamar Williams, Allegheny, larceny; William Whiting, Criffith

The following college prizes were warded:

Prize of Class of 1871 for preparation, Frank Ellsworth Ammon, Strode's Mills, Freshman Declamation Prize-Earl Tus-tin Morton, Drarosburg, Freshman Estin Morton, Drarosburg, Freshman Es-say Prize—Norman Mattoon Thomas, Lewisburg, Sophomore Declamation Prize —Thomas Edward Cule, Plymouth, Sophomore Essay Prize-Albert C Karge, Camden, N. J. Deciamation Prize-Albert George for Women-Freshman class, Pearl Lois Smith, Erie; sophomore class, Olive Schil-linger, Martin's Ferry, O. Registrar's Prize in Oratory-Jane Ridgway Fowler, Olean, N. Y. Junior Debate Prizes-First prize, Sylvester Dunkap, Montoursville second prize, John Belmont Cook, For-restville, N. Y. W. C. Hollopeter Prize n Chemistry-Joseph Sanford Davis Othello, N. J. The Barrow Prize in Latin -John Davis, Scranton. Psychology Prizes-First prize, John William McCracken, Kerrmoor, second prize, Martin Linnaeus Drum, Philadelphia. The ohn Sprague Prize in Biblical Literature Frances Anna Race, Scranton. The Academy prize in oratory was awarded to J. J. Owen, of Scranton.

Commencement closed with the corporation dinner at 12 o'clock in Bucknell hall.

## A Final Disposition of the Nicaragua Amendments Will Probably Be Made.

## POLITICAL SPEECHES

Democratic Orators Take Advantage of the Latitude Allowed During General Debate on the Deficiency Appropriation Bill to Air Opinions Upon the Policy of the Administration and Indulge in Wholesale Criticism-Indian Bills Considered at the Night Session of the House.

y Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, June 18 .- Tomorrow at 4 clock the voting on the amendments to the Nicaragua canal bill will begin and a final disposition of the matter is expected to be reached soon afterwards.

The senate today devoted practically ts entire session to consideration of the canal questions. Extended addresses were delivered by Mr. Spooner and Mr. Hanna, in advocacy of the adoption of the Panama route, and Mr. Pettus, of Alabama, advocated the selection of the Nicaragua route. Mr. Teller, of Colorado, briefly announced his support of the Panama route, while Mr. Jones, of Arkansas, announced his leanings toward the same route.

Little that is new to the discussion vas developed by any of the speakers. The near approach of the end of the present session of congress was signalized by a general political speech by Mr. Richardson, of Tennessee, the leader of the minority. Taking advantage of the latitude allowed during general debate on the deficiency appropriacommencement of Bucknell university tion bill, he delivered a set speech of an hour and a half. He arraigned the Republican party for its failure to keep its platform promises, dwelling especthe administration for removing Miss Taylor, a clerk in the war department. for criticising its Philippine policy and for justifying General Wood's expen-

Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropriation committee, in a brief reply, said he was ready to go to the country on the record of the Republican party. He caused much merriment on his side of the house by describing the Republican party as pulling the wagon while the Democrats stood off and found

fault. Mr. Bartlett (Democrat, Georgia.) offered an amendment to the deficiency bill to reimburse the Cuban revenues for the salary allowed by Secretary Root to Governor General Wood out of the island revenues.

In the course of some remarks early in the session. Mr. Cannon declared that if he could have his way, congress would adjourn sine die before

The general deficiency appropriation bill, the last of the supply bills, was passed. A night session was held, at which the house considered bills reported

#### from the committee on Indian affairs. PARDON BOARD DECISIONS.

#### Releases Recommended-Keller Case Held Under Advisement. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Harrisburg, June 18 .- Action in the cases heard by the board of pardons today was as follows: Cases Continued-Mrs. Kate Edwards, Berks, murder; John Coslitt, Washington, manslaughter; John Rommele, Philadelphia, murder; James Artz, Lawrence,

Pardons Recommended-John McCoolick. Luzerne, murder in the secon Watsontown; Calvin Hayes Elliot, Har-tleton; George Washington English, Pitts-ceny; Ella Frank, Allegheny, larceny. ceny; Ella Frank, Allegheny, larceny The death sentence of R. D. Wi rie Jeannette Halfpenny, Milton: Sarah Ethel Judd. Lewisburg: Annie Elizabeth Noaker. Milton: John Black Packer. Sunbury: Frances Gertrude Scott, Lewis-Sunbury: Frances Gertrude Scott, Lewiscounty jail with Mrs. Soffel, and it was his evidence that convicted them. Pardons Refused—Samuel H. Tuck,

Philadelphia, larceny; Leroy Griffith, Berks, cruelty to animals; George Gantz, Berks, murder; James McCaffrey, Philadelphia, assault Cases Held Under Advisement-Joseph

eller, Lackawanna, manslaughter; Jas. and John W. Bunnell, Luzerne, mis-Keller. emeanor; Martha Crothers, Dauphin, illegal liquor selling. A rehearing was granted Ralph Moore, Chester, murder in the second degree.

## YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local data for June 18, 1902; lighest temperature ...... 80 degrees owest temperature ...... 49 degrees Relative humidity:

8 a. m. .... 51 per cent. 

#### ................ WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, June 18.-Forecast for Thursday and Friday: East-